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**Subject: Supplemental Response to EPA Comments on the Remedial Investigation,
Ecological Risk Assessment and Human Health Risk Assessment Reports –
Matthiessen and Hegeler Zinc Company Site – LaSalle, Illinois- Geosyntec
Consultants Project No. CWR1710**

Dear Ms. Collier:

In accordance with the Order of Consent between Carus Corporation and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), SulTRAC and Geosyntec are jointly submitting the enclosed supplemental response to EPA comments from two comment letters: (1) "Comments on the Remedial Investigation, Ecological Risk Assessment and Human Health Risk Assessment Reports"; and (2) "USEPA RI Comments." These two EPA comment letters, which were received on August 6, 2010 and August 11, 2010 respectively, provide comments on the Draft Remedial Investigation, Ecological Risk Assessment, and Human Health Risk Assessment Reports submitted to EPA by SulTRAC and Geosyntec on June 4, 2010. Please note that this document includes all of the responses, including those submitted 31 August 2010.

If you have any questions regarding the enclosed responses to EPA comments, please call the undersigned at (312) 416-3925.

Sincerely,



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Attachment: Supplemental Response to EPA Comments, Final
OU1 Ground Water Data Table

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